

CRUSHED BY A FALLING HORSE

Fatal Accident to a Young Man at Hot Springs.

PLAYED JOKE ON THEIR BROTHER

Two Virginians Return Home After an Absence of Twenty-Two Years in the West—Said Bags for a Coffin Dues.



LXINGTON, VA., September 12.—Special.—A large funeral took place from the Lexington Baptist church Sunday afternoon when services were held over the remains of Jewett Homer Tucker, the seventeen-year-old son of Mr. Robert R. Tucker, of this place. The unfortunate circumstances attending his death evoked the sympathy of the whole community. Young Tucker was connected with the heavy stable of Hamilton & Bierck at Hot Springs. On Friday night at nearly midnight he took one of the horses from the stable and mounted it without saddle or bridle, using only the halter to guide the animal, supposedly for the purpose of going to the stables. A short distance from the stable a ditch crossed the path for the purpose of laying sewer pipes. When near the ditch the horse in some way slipped and threw the unfortunate rider into the ditch and fell on top of him. The young man fell on his head and the horse fell on his side. The fall was heard by some men who went at once to his aid. He lived only a few minutes after being removed from the ditch.

The body was brought over to Lexington and reached here late Saturday night. The Lexington Fire Company, of which the deceased was a member, and a large number of friends gathered at the church and from there to the cemetery, and pallbearers were selected from the church.

USED SAND BAGS.

Colonel R. A. Marr, of the Virginia Military Institute staff, has charge of the construction of the iron bridge now being erected across the river at Glenwood, Rockbridge county. In laying the foundation for the piers he successfully used sand bags in the construction of coffer dams. The bags were filled only two-thirds full of sand and the ends were closed instead of being tied. This caused them to be closed together. The dam was made in five feet of water. A two inch pump worked by one man kept the water out.

THEY FOOLED HIM.

Mr. J. M. Black, of near Buffalo Mills, has as his guests his two brothers, Charles and Rufus Black, of North Bend, Nebraska. They arrived in Virginia a few days ago, and on going to the Glenwood, Rockbridge county, in laying the foundation for the piers he successfully used sand bags in the construction of coffer dams. The bags were filled only two-thirds full of sand and the ends were closed instead of being tied. This caused them to be closed together. The dam was made in five feet of water. A two inch pump worked by one man kept the water out.

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Not for all this autumn, glorious autumn, is here, and as one thinks of the wealth it brings to rural life, especially the greeting it gives to the farmer, a tinge of sadness seems to rest upon the scene, and also to listen to the hum of chirping of insects fills me with a subdued joy.

The coming of the season is very impressive and salutary, for in its delectable vegetation and ominous winds that sigh in the tree tops presaging the future, death that we feel on our own mortality is brought to mind. Joy, however, is naturally associated with the fall, for it is the rural harvest time, and this means much.

It does one's heart good to look upon the beautiful corn which a good Providence has favored the people of this section with the present year. Great ears of corn hang pendulous from the stalks while the tobacco now in quality. The cheerful burning fire in the flues of the barns is a common sight that greets the eye of the traveler as he goes over our thoroughfares. For days and nights the farmer will sit up to keep the tobacco in the barn while the tobacco is being cured, and to people in Tidewater Virginia such a sight as a farmer curing tobacco is a novel one in fact. In difficult sections employment and products differ and as one looks at the pictures the first thing that strikes the eye is the abundance of the world moving along.

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DAMAGE VERDICT.

A British Sailing Ship Takes Pocahontas Coal to Manila.

NORFOLK, VA., September 12.—Special.—C. W. Teltow, a Norfolk real estate agent, who recently sold a farm to William Exton, was criminally prosecuted by the latter because Teltow to the usual commission about some \$200 to the price fixed by the owner and claimed this as his fee. Teltow was acquitted.

Today in the Circuit Court Teltow, who sued Exton for damages, recovered \$200.

The British sailing ship Gloucester, Captain Spence, cleared from this port to-day for Manila. She takes as cargo 2,500 tons of Pocahontas coal for the use of our warships in Philippine waters.

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THIRTEEN YEAR

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Colored. 4,112

Total. 11,698

THE MATTER OF REPAIRS.

The attention of the board will be called to certain repairs needed in some of the buildings. In this connection it is pertinent to say that the amount available for repairs last year was only about \$4,500, whereas this year the sum could be very advantageously expended in making repairs and improvements that would be permanent.

The accounts, it will be stated to the board, have been examined and audited by the Finance Committee of the board and submitted to the board with the treasurer, as the law requires.

THE NEXT SESSION.

The public school session of 1899-1900 will commence next Friday, the 15th instant. The promptness of the opening is very bright for a successful term, and there is every reason to believe that it will not disappoint the high anticipations of the Superintendent and gentlemen interested with him in the education of our boys and girls.

Roanoke College to Open To-day—A Beautiful Wedding—Personal.

RALEIGH, VA., Sept. 12.—Special.—Mr. William S. Dreher, of Berlin, Germany, who has been visiting his brother, Dr. Julius D. Dreher, president of Roanoke College, leaves this evening for his home in Germany, where he will resume his work as Berlin correspondent to the London Standard. Dr. Dreher was consul for the world. Mr. Dreher was consul to Berlin for four years from the United States.

The forty-fourth session of Roanoke College opens to-morrow (13th). This year promises to be one of the most successful in the history of the college. The faculty, under the able leadership of President Julius D. Dreher, has added to the pleasure of the summer days greatly.

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to the meeting of the Powhatan Troop, with Mr. J. J. Terry as alternate.

Among those present from a distance were Major T. L. Courtney, Lucien Jackson, L. B. Vaughan, Morris Evans, Richmond; Lem Laprade, Powhatan; Frank Venderhoff, Madison.

CUMBERLAND NOTES.

Summer Girls Are Fitting Homeward as the Season Wanes.

CUMBERLAND, C. H. VA., Sept. 12.—Special.—The summer days are gone, and with them goes the vacation of the girls who have added to the pleasure of the summer days greatly.

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NORTH CAROLINA

ASSESSMENT CASE

To Be Heard by Judge Simonton at Asheville.

SEND OUT FERTILIZER INSPECTOR

The Colonel of the Colored Regiment Has a Street Fight and Causes Considerable Excitement—Convicts Steal Many Things.

RALEIGH, N. C., September 12.—Special.—The counsel, pro and con, in the injunction cases regarding the railroad assessments, have all gathered at Asheville where Judge Simonton hears cases to-morrow. The counsel is composed of some of the ablest lawyers in the State. Many railroad officials left to-day.

The suit involves the increased assessment of the Southern, the Atlantic Coast Line, and the Seaboard Air Line railroads, and is for \$100,000. Of course the roads are fighting this. The Atlantic Coast Line railroad will also be involved in a hearing as to the action instituted by the Atlantic Coast Line against the old Railroad Commission in which the commission was kept from carrying into effect an order reducing passenger rates on the Wilmington and New River roads to two and one-half cents per mile.

When the corporation commission succeeded the railroad commission, the old rates of three and three and one-half cents per mile were restored.

A PRERAILLION OPINION.

It has been the prevailing opinion that the case went by default when the railroad commission was asked to exist. But Colonel John W. Hinesdale and Mr. W. C. Louschee, who were employed by the Governor to defend the commission against the contrary. Both attorneys will be at Asheville, and they say they will push the case. The attorneys concede the authority of the corporation commission to reduce the old rates, but they contend that the bondsmen of the Wilmington and Weldon roads are responsible for the difference in the rates from the time the reduction was ordered by the railway commission until the date of the restoration of the old rates. The railroad was required to give a heavy indemnity bond when the temporary injunction was granted, and the Governor's counsel contend that the bondsmen are liable for the difference in the rates, while the new rate was in effect.

JIM YOUNG A SCRAPPY.

Yesterday afternoon Jim Young, the colored one of the late Third North Carolina Volunteers (colored), and another prominent negro here, named Dehman, had a street fight. It was over a private matter, but created quite an excitement, as they are both high in colored social circles.

The opening of the graded schools has been postponed from the 15th to the 25th. The inspection of fertilizer has begun, and three of the newly-appointed inspectors have been sent out. There are twelve in all, but it is understood all should go out at once.

The railroads give the State Fair officials a rate of one cent a mile round trip good Saturday, October 14th, through Monday, 24th, the date of the Fair being October 15th to 24th, instead of 23rd to 25th, as stated yesterday.

Will Sue the County for Damages on Account of Attempted Assault.

DURHAM, N. C., September 12.—Special.—Inability to get a delivery delivered here has caused the temporary suspension on some of the largest buildings in process of construction. Contractors say good money is hard to get and that they have to pay from 15 to 25 per cent. more for it than it brought last year.

Since the jury found the negro Parker guilty of attempted assault the father of the girl will sue the county for \$5,000 damages upon the ground that, as a convict, he was in charge of the county. The authorities had no right to let him run loose as a trusty, and the county is responsible for the negro's acts while under its guard. The case will come up at the October term of the court and excites considerable interest.

NEW GREENSBORO CONNECTION.

GREENSBORO, N. C., Sept. 12.—Special.—Greensboro is very much elated over the prospect of a connection with the Seaboard Air Line, which is understood to be making arrangements for an extension of its line into this city over the Carthage Branch line. A branch line of the Seaboard runs from Cameron to Carthage, and Mr. Petty, a large lumber dealer of that section has built a line about twenty miles long.

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THE HANOVER TROOP.

Senator Wickham Presents the Original Roll of the Company.

ASHLAND, VA., September 12.—Special.—The Hanover Troop Association held its annual meeting to-day at Ashland Park. The roll call occurred at 12 o'clock and there were thirty-one members present. The death of one member, Mr. John W. Bowe, occurred since last meeting.

An excellent dinner and other refreshments were served, after which speeches were made by Captain John Lamb, Senator H. T. Wickham and Mr. Walter Seymour.

Senator Wickham in the course of his speech presented the original roll of the late W. B. Newton. In the handwriting of the first captain of the troop, General William C. Wickham. Mr. J. B. Brown was elected delegate



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mile long from Carthage in this direction through the timber belt. This will leave only about forty miles of the road to be completed.

ART STUDENTS OF PARIS.

Nina Goodwin Writes How They Live So Economically.

PARIS, Aug. 11.—Dotted around in the art students' quarter are an attractive lot of restaurants that cater especially to American art students. On high days and holidays their windows are decked out with a trim row of scalloped pumpkin pies, and a modest little placard tells the passerby that there will be "cranberry sauce served with dinner."

People who are acquainted with the high prices of meat and provisions here are surprised to see how these little restaurants thrive, but thrive they do in spite of the wonderfully modest price they set on their dishes.

It is the marvelous French management that knows no waste, that accounts for this thriftiness. Only the French seem to succeed with these small restaurants in this quarter. Both American and English students are glad to experiment with the recipes for dishes dear to the hearts of Americans and yet they have failed because their prices would mount higher than their French neighbors.

"Henrietta" is one of the most successful of these little restaurants. Its situation is particularly happy. Tucked away in the middle of that short rue "Leopold Robert" where it is rumored that a hundred Americans have housed it, it is an extremely American patronage.

Last summer it boasted only a single room and a kitchen, then two more rooms were added and this winter the pretty, bright color scheme was altered to make a big attractive dining-room that is always crowded at meal hours.

The greatest attraction at Henrietta's now is the mural decoration that has been undertaken by two of the cleverest artists in Paris. In the quietest, most decorative way possible they have told the tale of "The Queen of Hearts," which made some parts all on a summer's day.

Josephine's little restaurant, which watches all the pupils from the great atelier, is another popular place with the American art students. Josephine and her sister are two of the most successful women who have been so successful in their little restaurant that they have been obliged to have their place enlarged and refitted in the past year.

On Friday at the delirious hour the little restaurant is crowded with the "gals" of the name and a most splendid array of delicious food and drink is served. These two dishes a "New England" girl taught Josephine to make and on these two dishes her reputation has flourished and become famous.

"Thomas" is another little restaurant that is patronized by the student, though they make no pretenses to enter to American especially. Occasionally the little waitress tells one with great gusto of some of the "gals" who have been so successful in their little restaurant that they have been obliged to have their place enlarged and refitted in the past year.

At any of these little restaurants one may have a pretty fair sort of dinner for francs. A good dinner with bread, soup, a dish of meat with one vegetable, twelve soups, or perhaps ten soups, then a generous bowl of crisp, fresh salad, or a dessert may be had for the remainder of the franc.